

Amendment No. 1 to SB1909

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Signature of Sponsor

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1909**

**House Bill No. 1904\***

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-122-105, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(d)

(1) An autoclave is exempt from the clearance requirements of this part and the rules promulgated pursuant to this part related to clearance.

(2) This subsection (d) does not prohibit the enforcement of other requirements of this part that are unrelated to clearance requirements.

(3) The board may, in its discretion, waive or exempt a requirement of §§ 68-122-110 – 68-122-113 for an autoclave, pursuant to the exemption provided by subdivision (d)(1).

(4) For the purposes of this subsection (d), "autoclave" means a device that:

(A) Sterilizes reusable medical or dental equipment used by an individual or entity that is licensed under this title or title 63;

(B) Is installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations;

(C) Contains a boiler; and

(D) Is regulated by the federal food and drug administration.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.